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SERIES II No. 1

# OFFICIAL GAZETTE



## GOVERNMENT OF GOA

### EXTRAORDINARY

### No. 2

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##### Department of Public Health

##### Directorate of Food & Drugs Administration

##### Order

No. DFDA/PFAA-121/98/568

Read: Order No. DFDA/PFAA-121/98/533 dated 24-01-03

Whereas in the interest of public health, the Food (Health) Authority, for the State of Goa, is of the opinion that it is necessary to take immediate effective measures to prevent the general public from being addicted to the consumption of preparations containing tobacco and/or extract thereof, with any kind of flavours including cardamom, menthol, and/or any kind of sweeteners including sugar, glycerine, glucose, and/or aromatic herbs and spices including dry fruits, silver leaves, saffron, mulethi, sabnarnusa and lime, all or any of them, by whatever name called.

And whereas the Food (Health) Authority of the State of Goa, as stated above, is satisfied that, the consumption of any article of food, containing tobacco and/or extract thereof, with any kind of flavours including cardamom, menthol, and/or any kind of sweeteners including sugar, glycerine, glucose, and/or aromatic herbs and spices including dry fruits, silver leaves, saffron, mulethi, sabnarnusa and lime, all or any of them, by whatever name called, is injurious to health and it is necessary in the interest of public health, to prohibit the sale of article of such food articles tobacco and/or

extract thereof, with any kind of flavours including cardamom, menthol, and/or any kind of sweeteners including sugar, glycerine, glucose, and/or aromatic herbs and spices including dry fruits, silver leaves, saffron, mulethi, sabnarnusa and lime, all or any of them, by whatever name called, under clause (iv) of said section 7;

Now therefore, I, Shri S. N. Tripathi Director, of the Directorate of Food and Drugs Administration, State of Goa, and Food (Health) Authority for the State of Goa, in pursuance of clause (iv) of section 7 of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act, 1954 (Central Act 37 of 1954), hereby, in the interest of public health, prohibit, with immediate effect, the sale of such article of food containing tobacco and/or extract thereof, with any kind of flavours including cardamom, menthol, and/or any kind of sweeteners including sugar, glycerine, glucose, and/or aromatic herbs and spices including dry fruits, silver leaves, saffron, mulethi, sabnarnusa and lime, all or any of them, by whatever name called, in the State of Goa and further, accordingly direct that no person shall himself or by any person on his behalf, manufacture for sale, or store, sell or distribute such article of food containing tobacco and/or extract thereof, with any kind of flavours including cardamom, menthol, and/or any kind of sweeteners including sugar, glycerine, glucose, and/or aromatic herbs and spices including dry fruits, silver leaves, saffron, mulethi, sabnarnusa and lime, all or any of them, by whatever name called, until further orders.

S. N. Tripathi, Director, Directorate of Food and Drugs Administration and Food (Health) Authority for the State of Goa.

Panaji, 7th April, 2003.